No.	Names of articles	Trade description	Rate per	Standard price in 1914	Per cent	Price in November 1939	Ratio
	OTHERS.			Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	
1	Copper ...	Sheets ...	cwt.	57 0 0	100	94 8 0	166
2	Brass or yellow metal ...	Do ...	Do	54 0 0	100	68 2 0	126
3	Hides—cow ...	Raw, local ...	4½ lbs.	1 0 0	100	0 13 2	82
4	Bran ...	Bombay ...	140 ,,	6 2 0	100	6 8 0	106
5	Groundnut ...	Malnad ...	26½ ,,	2 12 0	100	1 7 10	54
6	Bees wax ...	Local ...	25 ,,	17 0 0	100	14 8 0	85
7	Turmeric ...	Imported ...	26 ,,	4 8 0	100	4 5 6	97
8	Skins—Goats and sheep ...	Local, raw ...	No. 100	90 0 0	100	87 14 8	98
9	Bricks ...	Wire-cut burnt, local ...	,, 1,000	19 0 0	100	26 0 0	137
10	Tiles ...	Mangalore pattern, local ...	,, 1,000	89 0 0	100	53 0 0	137
11	Cast iron ...	Local ...	cwt.	6 12 0	100	16 3 2	240
12	Tobacco ...	Raw—Cholambadi and Bettadapur.	25 lbs.	7 6 0	100	11 0 0	150
13	Matches (Indian) ...	Safety, large size ...	gross	0 13 0	100	3 0 0	369
14	Teak, timber ...	Mysore logs ...	c. ft.	2 10 0	100	2 12 0	105
15	Fuel (casuarina) ...	Unsplit ...	ton	6 12 0	100	13 8 0	200
	Total ...			...	1,500	...	2152
	Average ...			...	...	...	143

ABSTRACT.

Item No.	Main heads	Items in each of the main heads	Standard Index No.	December 1939	Ratio	General Index No.
1	Food grains and pulses	8	800	985	123	
2	Oils and oil seeds ...	10	1,000	1114	112	
3	Other food articles ...	15	1,500	1579	105	121
4	Textiles ...	6	600	696	116	
5	Others ...	15	1,500	2152	143	

V. VENKATACHAR,
For *Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore, Bangalore.*

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1940.

A total of 6 attacks with 4 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 11 attacks with 7 deaths in the previous week. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Field area continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding weeks in 1939 and 1938 were 21 attacks with 9 deaths and 85 attacks with 49 deaths, respectively.

A total of 46 attacks with 5 deaths from Small-pox was reported from two villages of Harihar Taluk and from the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

Three attacks with three deaths from Cholera were reported from a village of Holenarsipur Taluk.

Two fatal cases from Influenza were reported from the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

The State remained free from Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 137 (38 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 32·0 (23·1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 28·9 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Small-pox, 3 under Other Fevers, 6 under Phthisis, 17 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 110 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 89 deaths (15 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 31·2 (25·9 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 28·6 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Broncho-Pneumonia 4, Pneumonia 9, Typhoid 1, Other Fevers 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 9, and all other causes 65. The reported mortality was normal.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 85 (31 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 34·3 (21·8 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 20·1 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Small-pox 2, Malaria 4, Typhoid 2, other Fevers 2, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 7 and all other causes 64. The reported mortality was normal.

There were 74 deaths (7 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 46·5 (42·1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 33·8 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—2 under Malaria, 4 under Other Fevers, 3 under Phthisis, 13 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 52 under all other causes. The reported mortality was high due to increase in deaths under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and under all other causes.

E. R. SUNDARARAJAN,
For *Director*.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF FACTORIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending Friday the 2nd February 1940.

[Section 5 (ii)].

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed				Remarks
	During the week	During the corresponding week of last year	Since the commencement of the season, 1st September 1939	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore ...	...	...	2,615	1,616	...

BANGALORE,
Dated 6th February 1940.

V. VENKATACHAR,
For *Chief Inspector of Factories*.

Printed by the Superintendent at the Government Press, Bangalore.